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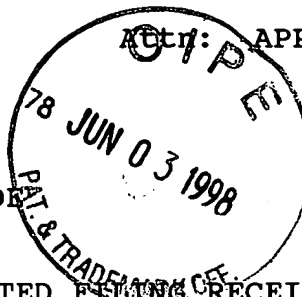
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METHOD OF ELECTROPLATING TUBULAR
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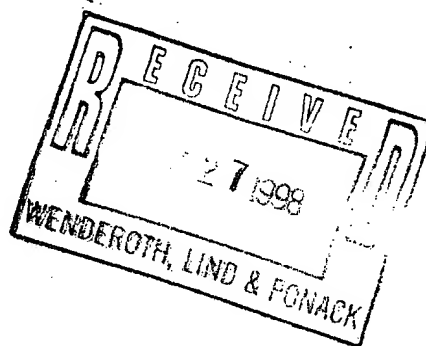
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Title: METHOD OF ELECTROPLATING TUBULAR BENT WORKPIECE AND AUXILIARY ANODE ELEMENT
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Receipt of the following papers is acknowledged:

1. Utility Patent Application Transmittal
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3. Check in the amount of \$435.00
4. Specification comprising 20 pages, including claims 1-12 and abstract
5. Declaration and Power of Attorney [executed]
6. 14 sheets drawings (Figs. 1-15)
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